GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

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SANJAY SAROVAR JAL PARIYOJANA
PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether execution work of Inter-State Sanjay Sarovar Jal Pariyojna in Balaghat district of Madhya Pradesh has been completed;

(b) if not, the progress made thereon and reasons for non- completion of Pariyojna; and

(c) the time by which the project is likely to be completed ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES

(SMT. BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY)

(a) & (b) The Sanjay Sarovar (Upper Wainganga) Jal Pariyojna isan ongoing major irrigation project. An amount of Rs.194.71 crore has been spent on the project against the latest estimated cost of Rs. 249.72 crore (1998 price level) and an irrigation potential of 76398 hectares has been created against the ultimate irrigation potential of 105253 hectares upto June, 1999. The main reasons for non- completion of the project are the inadequate funding to the project by the State Government and enlarging the scope of the project by including the Roomal and Bargoor Pick up Weirs alongwith their canal systems.

(c) The Project is likely to be completed by June, 2002, as reported by the Project Authorities.